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Applic	ation No.: Unassigned))]	Examiner: Unassigned	11/4/01
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For:	PHOTOSENSITIVE RESIN COMPOSITION	<i>)</i>))		

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

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Prior to examination, kindly amend the above-captioned application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Cancel claims 5 and 6 without prejudice or disclaimer.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Kindly replace the paragraph beginning on page 4, line 20, with the following:

-- Safelight tolerance is a criterion showing the stability of the sensitivity of an image when a printing plate is exposed to a safelight such as a fluorescent lamp and the higher the contrast of the image, the higher is the safelight tolerance. This is concerning with concerns the fact that quinonediazide is partially decomposed by a safelight. This is because if the quinonediazide is a little decomposed by a weak safelight when an image is

